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METHODS FOR INDUCING ANGIOGENESIS

USING MORPHOGENIC PROTEINS AND

STIMULATORY FACTORS

New York, New York May 20, 2002

Hon. Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith: [] a Preliminary Amendment; [X] a Reply to Office Action with attached Appendix of Claim Amendments; [X] a Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for Extension of Time (in duplicate); [] a Declaration; [] a Supplemental Declaration; [] a Power of Attorney; [] an Associate Power of Attorney; [] formal drawings; to be filed in the above-identified patent application.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

- [X] A fee for additional claims is not required.
- [] A fee for additional claims is required.

The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

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TOTAL	CLAIMS	- 2	0 *	=	X \$ 18	= \$ 0.00	
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS - 3 ** =				X \$ 84	= \$ 0.00		
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EXTENSION FEE

[X] The following extension is applicable to the Response filed herewith; [] \$110.00 extension fee for response within first month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [X] \$400.00 extension fee for response within second month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [] \$920.00 extension fee for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [] \$1,440.00 extension fee for response within fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R.

§ 1.136(a); \$1,960.00 within fifth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

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Respectfully submitted,

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